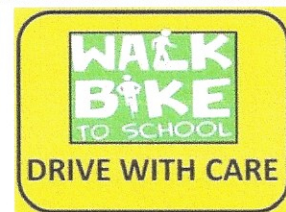
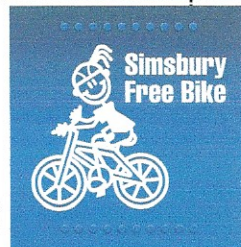


Bike Month 2014 Simsbury CT

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
Don't forget Flowers for your Vintage Bike in the Garden	Watch for Details Bicycle Cellar Evening and Sunday Rides	Pedal Power May 17th Exhibit Opens Simsbury Historical Society	Simsbury Free Bike Opens May 1 Earlier Weather Permitting	1 Mary Glassman Board of Seletman Ride - 5 Miles 5:00 PM	2	3 
4 Valley Cycling Annual Meeting Simsbury Library May 4th 3 - 5 PM	5	6	7 Latimer Lane Safe Routes to School Nat'l Bike to School	8 Latimer Rain Date	9	10
11 Mother's Day Nat'l Bike Week Take Mom for a Bike Ride!!	12	13	14 Tootin Hills Safe Routes to School	15 Squadron Line Safe Routes to School	16 Squadron Line Rain Date Bike 2 Work Day 6:30-9 AM Reception Iron Horse Blvd Bike 2 Work 5 PM Red Stone Pub	17 FVTC 30 Mile Ride 10 AM - Iron Horse Red Stone Pub Guest Bartender 3-6pm for Simsbury Free Bike
18 Try Simsbury Run BIke PaddleTriathlon 11:00 AM Drake Hill Road	19	20 Simsbury Library Adult Bike Maintenance 6-7:30 PM Steve Novy from Bicycle Express	21	22	23	24
25	26 Memorial Day Parade Day in Simsbury Thanks to Our Veterans!	27	28	29	30 Beginners Ride 9:30 am Bicycle Cellar Your Host <u>Lisa Heavener</u> St Mary's Rodeo 5:30 6-8pm	31 Bike to the Library With Your Children All Day Event

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Bike Month is Simsbury, Connecticut - Join Us!

Week 1:

May 1 - First Selectman Mary Glassman leads a 5 mile Board of Selectmen's Ride, beginning at Simsbury Town Hall at 5pm. This is a lovely and relaxing ride, everyone is welcome! Simsbury Free Bike opens in 6 towns, with 50 bikes at 10 locations. Pedal Power exhibit opens at the Simsbury Historic Society. Bicycle Cellar begins weekly rides - details to follow.

May 2 -3- Have you connected with a bike group? Borrow a bike at [Simsbury Free Bike](#) and enjoy the beautiful Farmington Canal Heritage Trail!

Week 2:

May 4 - [Valley Cycling's](#) annual meeting will be held at the Simsbury Library from 3-5 pm; everyone is welcome. Prizes, bike tips, and more. This is an ideal way to kick off the season and meet new ride partners or join a group ride.

May 5 -6- Bikers and Motorists - Give bikers 3 Feet...its the law!

May 7 - Latimer Lane Elementary School will walk and bike to school as part National Bike Month and Bike to School Day . (May 8th is the Rain Date) Please drive with care, and plan to walk with your kids. It's National Bike to School Day!

May 8 - Latimer Lane Safe Routes to School RAIN DATE

May 9 -10- Don't see a cyclist...see a mom, brother, son, dad, or daughter!

Week 3:

May 11- MOTHERS DAY - Take mom for a bike ride!

May 12-17 [NATIONAL BIKE WEEK](#)

May 14 - Tootin' Hills school students will be walking and biking to school. This is the 5th year Tootin' will participate in National Bike and Walk to School celebrations! Good job Tootin'!

May 15 - This is Squadron Line School's first year walking and biking to school. Watch for children. Drive with Care.

May 16- [BIKE TO WORK DAY](#) Join our Bike to Work Day events. We will meet commuting cyclists on Iron Horse Blvd between 6:30-9am. To celebrate Bike Week we will meet at the Red Stone Pub at 5pm to celebrate cycling in Simsbury. (Ride if you can but not necessary) Squadron Line Safe Routes Rain Date.

May 17- Farmington Valley Trails Council will host a family friendly run ride; up to 30 miles. Riders will meet at the corner of Jim Gallagher Way and the bike trail. Thanks FVTC for supporting Simsbury's bike efforts! Red Stone Pub at Noon - Guest Bartender Event for SFBike

Week 4:

May 18 - Simsbury's first adventure race, the [Try Simsbury Triathlon](#) will begin at 11am on Iron Horse Boulevard. The run, bike and paddle adventure race will wind through the beautiful trails, paths of Simsbury and finish on the Farmington River with a sprint back to the Meadows Performing Arts Center. Food, fun, festivities and lots of prizes. This is a fabulous family and corporate challenge event and is a great spectator event as well.

May 20 - Learn basic bike mechanics to keep your ride up and running smoothly. The course will be held at the Simsbury Library, will cover basic maintenance skills will be led by the talented bike man...Steve Novy, owner of [Bicycle Express](#). Class starts at 6-7:30 PM. [Register Here](#).

May 26 - MEMORIAL DAY PARADE - Decorate bicycles for the parade!

May 30: Beginners Ride with Lisa Heavener. 9:30 AM Bicycle Cellar. See Facebook page for events. St. Mary's Cub Scout Pack 175 Bike Rodeo from 6-8pm

May 31- Bike to the Library Day!

June 1 - Learn Bicycling Skills for the Road and Multi-Use Trail at Simsbury Culture, Parks and Recreation's Intro to Biking/Bike Safety (Traffic Skills 101 Part 1) Pre-registration required. [Register Here](#)